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BLOOMIN' MARVELLOUS

This year's Hackney in Bloom competition, organised by the Council, was the biggest and best so far - proving the borough's gardeners are at the top of their game.

Their horticultural skills saw them scoop prizes for categories ranging from Best Container Garden to Best Bloomin' Pub.

Green-fingered enthusiasts took great pride in

competing in the contest, which helps to keep Hackney looking great.

See the centre pages for a full list of winners and photos showing why they took the top prizes.

Anil Chakowa shows off his prize-winning front garden



Flower power



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£750,000 for community groups



Community groups can apply for grants of up to £50,000



Mayor Jules Pipe

Community groups in the borough are being invited to apply for a new funding programme which is worth a total of £750,000.

Thanks to extra funding from central government, grants of between £1,000 and £50,000 are available for projects aimed at improving life in Hackney - from raising educational attainment to tackling gang culture and getting people into work.

The funding programme is being delivered by the Team Hackney partnership and the Hackney Community Empowerment Network. It will be administered by Hackney Council for Voluntary Service (HCVS).

Jules Pipe, Mayor of Hackney and Chair of Team Hackney, said: "We all want to see crime in Hackney continuing to fall, our school results continuing to improve and more jobs for local people but we at the Council and our partners cannot achieve this on our own.

"Voluntary groups and people from across our communities are vital in helping us deliver our priorities, and this money is an excellent opportunity for local groups across Hackney to help us

make Hackney a better place."

The Team Hackney Community Grants programme builds on the success of last year's Community Investment Programme, which funded nearly 200 projects.

Application packs are available from: HCVS, Ground Floor, 84 Springfield House, 5 Tyssen Street, London E8 2LY. Alternatively, visit: www.hcvs.org or call: 020 7923 1962.

By James Willsher



A media workshop funded by last year's grant programme

FUN FITNESS AND SPEED

Clissold Swimming Club is offering **FREE** training sessions during September 2007 for children and young people aged 6 to 18.

Clissold Swimming Club is Hackney's competitive swimming club. We run training sessions at Kings Hall Leisure Centre and London Fields Lido in Hackney. We also offer opportunities to take part in water polo, diving and synchronised swimming.

If you can swim 2 lengths of the pool and you want to improve your swimming come along to one of our try-out sessions at Kings Hall Leisure Centre on Wednesdays or Fridays at 6pm.

No fees will be charged for new swimmers who attend our training sessions between 5 September and 29 September 2007.

For more information and our full timetable see our website:
w. www.clissoldswimming.org.uk
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t. 07891 880781



Funding in the frame

BUDDING documentary makers from the borough are to have their creative ideas brought to life, thanks to £8,000 funding from the Council's film office.

The Pembury Estate Youth Club and the Nida Media Group will each receive around £4,000 to make their own short films.

Pembury's film and music video project, *Do the Right Thing*, will focus on young people growing up on an estate and aims to encourage others to get involved in community activities.

The Hackney Downs-based group of 13-19 year olds will

interview people who have been involved with gangs, anti-social behaviour or drugs. It wants to capture why young people get into these situations and look at how this can be overcome.

The Nida Media Group's project will examine gang violence among the Asian community. It aims to take a stand against such violence by showing the dark side of being a gang member and by talking to victims and their families.

Both groups will learn technical skills from media industry professionals such as script writing, editing, interviewing and filming.

The finished films will be distributed to young people across the borough.

Money received by the two groups is the Council's profit from location filming in the borough.

Councillor Nargis Khan, Cabinet Member for Community Services, said: "It's good to see the profits made from production companies filming in Hackney used to support talented local young people."

Film grants are offered by the Council's Youth Opportunity Fund, which is run by and for young people. To find out more, e-mail: yof@hackney.gov.uk or call: 020 83567474.

By Karyn Michael

Dancing in the street



Abstract street dance company Avant Garde perform

Gillett Square in Dalston is set to burst into life with the music and movement of a high energy dance extravaganza on 1 September.

The I Love Dance showcase will celebrate some of the borough's best choreographers, performers and artists.

Among those taking part in the free event will be abstract street dance company Avant Garde, fresh

from its recent performances at the Breakin' Convention at Sadler's Wells theatre and the Trafalgar Square Festival.

Also taking to the stage will be C-12 Dance Theatre, African-Caribbean dance company Conscious Rhythms, and Mimbire, a female acrobatic trio that draws inspiration from circus, physical theatre, capoeira and breakdance.

Not to be outdone by the younger performers, a group of older dancers will be

entertaining with a conga guiding the crowds from Kingsland Road to Gillett Square.

The event is organised by East London Dance and funded by Hackney Council's Cultural Development Team. It is supported by Gillett Squared.

Hosting the energetic showcase will be Kimberlee Jay, a Nike athlete, street dance specialist and presenter.

Councillor Nargis Khan, Cabinet Member for Community Services, said: "If you like the energy and creativity of dance, or even if you are just curious about dance, then make sure you go along to I Love Dance. It will be a fantastic opportunity to see the cream of Hackney's dance talent all in one place."

She added: "Gillett Square is proving to be a great community facility, hosting a number of excellent events

since its opening last year. I'm sure this will be no exception."

I Love Dance kicks off at 3pm on Saturday 1 September in Gillett Square, Dalston. For more information, visit www.hackney.gov.uk/ilove-dance or contact Amanda Davey at East London Dance on: **020 8279 1053** or via e-mail: amandad@eastlondondance.org

By Karyn Michael

In brief

On yer bike

YOUNG people are learning bike maintenance skills this summer – and will be presented with a cycle to keep at the end of the course.

The unique REPAIR scheme offers 16 participants in Homerton the chance to attend four weekly workshops before they graduate on 31 August.

Youngsters who attend all workshops and sign up for free cycle classes to learn about road safety will be presented with a bike, donated by Shoreditch Police from stolen and unclaimed property.

The scheme is run by the Council's sustainable transport unit and Hackney Police's safer neighbourhoods teams.

A safer Olympic site

A POLICE team dedicated to ensuring the Olympic Park and surrounding areas are safe has begun work in Hackney and the other host boroughs.

The Olympic Park Neighbourhood Team's priorities include reducing criminal damage, anti-social behaviour, abandoned vehicles, illegal dumping and theft.

It is working with local communities, safer neighbourhood teams and the Olympic organisations in Hackney, Newham, Tower Hamlets and Waltham Forest. The three-strong Metropolitan Police team wear distinctive blue uniforms and have been equipped with specialist gear, including an off-road vehicle and an operational base at the site offices.

Levy remembrance day

A REMEMBRANCE day to mark the third anniversary of the tragic death of Robert Levy will be held on 15 September.

The theme of the day will be 'inspiration' and will start at 1pm at the Hackney Empire with music and drama performances and a panel discussion with Mayor of Hackney Jules Pipe and local MP Meg Hillier.

There will be a chance to win prizes, including a car, which has been modified as part of a summer project run by the Levy Foundation. The event will continue at Ocean in Mare Street with a job fair. A memorial bench will also be unveiled in Hackney's Town Hall Square.

Robert, 16, was stabbed to death as he tried to stop a teenager threatening another boy with a knife.

For more information visit www.robertlevyfoundation.co.uk or call **0870 626 0709**.

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Final class at Homerton

HOMERTON College of Technology has bid farewell to its students and closed its doors for the last time.

The final class of year 11 boys attended a graduation awards ceremony at the school in Homerton Row.

Headteacher Barry Hearnshaw praised the 165 students and said: "This has been a terrific year. What you have done has exceeded everyone's expectations. You have achieved results no other year has ever achieved."

Jahangir Ali, 16, spoke on behalf of his fellow students at the ceremony on 28 June.

He said: "Homerton School

has always been a home, not just for me, but for the teachers and students."

The college was originally known as Upton House School and was built in 1878. It was intended to cater for families in newly developed housing in Hackney and for the 'correction of incorrigible truants'.

A new school, City of London KPMG Academy, is to open on the former Homerton College of Technology site in September 2009. For more information visit: www.city-academies.co.uk/hackney

By Karyn Michael

Children come out to play

Carnival fever came to the borough when thousands of young people took part in a festival to celebrate the importance of play.

A colourful procession launched this year's Playday event with Hackney's youth parading their own costume designs from the Town Hall in Mare Street to Victoria Park.

More than 8,000 young people from Hackney and Tower Hamlets took part in a variety of activities including making toys and musical instruments from junk waste, drumming, dance, and face painting.

Playday events took place all over the country on August 1, as part of a national campaign to promote play as an integral part of young people's lives.

Words by James Willsher
Photos by Matilda Dobson



Youngsters ready to set off from Hackney Town Hall



Costumes cause a flutter



Celebrating Jamaica



Proud to be on parade



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can help on **page 8**

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Step to the beat

Boost for the Marshes



Young people get active



Football on the Marshes



She shoots, she scores



Celebrating success

Hackney Marshes, the home of grassroots football, are to get a major boost - thanks to £3.5million investment from the Council and the London Development Agency.

The place where heroes of English football from Bobby Moore to David Beckham trained is in line for improvements including better pitches and new changing rooms.

And with the help of local people, more funding could be secured.

Marshes users and residents are being invited to have their say on what improvements they would most like to see.

These views will be vital in helping the bid for more money and in deciding what the top priorities are for making the Marshes better.

Possible options include: improved football, mini soccer and rugby pitches on North Marsh; a community classroom, a new cricket oval, a full-sized show football pitch, mini and youth football pitches on South Marsh; new all-weather pitches and changing facilities on Mabley Green.

Councillor Guy Nicholson, Hackney Council Cabinet Member for Regeneration and the 2012 Olympic & Paralympic Games, said:

"Hackney Council has already secured investment into the Marshes which will bring real improvements. But with additional funding we could achieve even more."

"The Council is asking Marshes users and local people for their views on how we can improve the Marshes as this is an important part of getting plans right and securing further funding."

"We want to hear what will really make a difference to people using and enjoying our most famous park - Hackney Marshes."

The improvements are being made as a result of London hosting the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games, and through the Council's investment in the borough's sports facilities.

The Council and the London Development Agency now have the chance to gain further funding by working with the Football Association and Sport England, and by seeking potential sponsors.

The Marshes have 73 full-size pitches - the largest concentration of football pitches in Europe.

They are already extremely popular with football clubs at the weekends. But the Council would like to hear ideas on how it could encourage more football and other sports to be played there, more often.

It would also like views on how more children, young people, women, girls and people with disabilities could be encouraged to use and enjoy the Marshes.

And it would like to know how Marshes users and local people could use the Marshes for activities such as walking, jogging and having picnics.

For more information, and to download a feedback form, visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/x-olympics-improving-hackney-marshes

Alternatively, you can e-mail: olympics@hackney.gov.uk

For information on events where you can talk to the Council's 2012 Unit about proposals for improving the Marshes, call: **0800 840 2929**

By Emma Britton

Open day success



Getting crafty

ARTS, crafts and plants for sale raised more than £300 for a Hackney day centre which opened its doors to the local community.

The event at the Trowbridge Centre, on the Trowbridge Estate, featured artwork including ceramics and watercolour paintings created by those who use the centre.

More than 45 people attended the open day on 17 July, including friends and family of the artists, gardening enthusiasts, as well as patrons.

Councillor Nargis Khan, Cabinet Member for Community Services, said: "The Trowbridge Centre's open day is a wonderful illustration of how Hackney's service users are benefiting from the provision there."

The Trowbridge Centre provides a day service for adults with learning difficulties, some of whom have additional physical disabilities.

By James Willsher

In brief

Airport technology used to detect drugs

TECHNOLOGY used to detect explosives at airports has helped to close down the 50th crackhouse in the borough.

It was the first time the Hackney CrackDown Project had used the technique to gain a closure order at court.

The Ion Track Itemiser 3 is normally used at airports and other public venues to detect trafficking of illegal drugs and explosives. At Thames Magistrates Court on 18 July, the judge ordered the residents be removed and the flat locked up after hearing witness statements and evidence gathered using the technology.

Have your say on licensing

SHOREDITCH residents are being invited to attend a meeting to discuss the Council's licensing policy. The Living in Hackney Scrutiny Commission is taking part in a Council review of the policy, and is seeking the views of residents at 7pm on 11 September at Shoreditch Town Hall.

Commission members want to hear residents' views on the Council's approach to issuing licenses in the Shoreditch area, and their experiences of living in an area with a large number of pubs and clubs.

For more information, contact Sarah Harrison on: **020 8356 3309** or e-mail: Sarah.Harrison@hackney.gov.uk

Youth agenda

A YOUTH representative from the borough has taken part in a conference to discuss issues affecting young people today. Deputy leader of Hackney Youth Parliament Jake Boston, 17, attended the UK National Youth Parliament Sitting 2007 in Glasgow, accompanied by a Hackney Youth Service worker.

The four-day residential conference saw Members of Youth Parliament (MYPs) take part in workshops and debates, update the national manifesto and develop national campaigns for the year ahead.

Among the issues debated were teen pregnancy, eating disorders, sustainable futures, transport, engaging the public and climate change.

Cloth nappies made easy



Photography Fran Monks

Tots get funky in real cloth nappies

New and expectant parents in the borough are being offered vouchers to help buy cloth nappies, thanks to the Council entering a new nappy scheme.

The scheme offers parents a £54 voucher towards the cost of buying washable nappies or to put towards laundry services.

Vouchers from the scheme can be used to buy cloth nappies at a range of shops across London.

This is an improvement to a previous scheme, which required parents to buy the nappies first and claim the money back afterwards.

Modern cloth nappies come in a wide range of easy-to-wash soft and natural fabrics with popper and Velcro fastenings and breathable waterproof wraps in funky designs.

So the days of boiling terry towelling versions and using pins are now long gone.

Switching from disposable to washable nappies can make a real difference to the environment.

Around three per cent of all waste in the UK comes from disposable nappies – the equivalent to the weight of nearly 70,000 double-decker buses.

And cloth nappies can also improve your bank balance. Parents can save around £500 per baby by washing their own nappies.

But if you would rather not wash them yourself, your local laundry service can collect dirty nappies and deliver clean ones to your home.

An information pack including frequently asked questions on real nappies will also be provided with the voucher.

Parents can find out more and apply for vouchers online at: www.realnappiesforlondon.org.uk or by calling: **020 7324 4709**.

More chances to recycle



Located at supermarket sites



Located with on-street recycling banks



Drinks cartons and Tetra- Paks can now be recycled in Hackney

THE number of recycling banks in the borough for drinks cartons and Tetra Paks has more than doubled in the past few weeks.

The Council's recycling team has installed a further five banks to make it easier for residents to make sure the containers are recycled. Because each carton is

made from a number of different materials, including cardboard, plastic and aluminium, they can be difficult to recycle.

But in the last issue of Hackney Today, the Council's recycling team was pleased to announce that Tetra Pak recycling now exists in the borough.

There are now nine recycling banks for the cartons across Hackney.

All banks are located alongside existing recycling bank sites, at prominent and easily accessible places around the borough.

Tetra Paks and drinks cartons cannot be recycled using the Green Box.

Recycle your drinks cartons & Tetra Paks at:

Morrisons car park, Stamford Hill, N16

Sturt St, opposite Taplow St, Shoreditch, N1

Tesco car park, Morning Lane, central Hackney, E9

Kingsland Shopping Centre car park, outside entrance, Dalston Lane, E8

Kenninghall Road, near Nightingale Rd, Kenninghall Rd, E5*

Wick Rd, opposite Vanner Point, New Gascoyne Estate, Wick Rd, E9*

Lancresse Rd and Kingsland Rd, opposite the fire station, Downham Rd, N1*

Lordship Rd, Lordship South Estate, between Lordship Terrace and Lordship Grove Lordship Road, N16*

Green Lanes near John Scott Health Centre, Green Lanes, N4*

*New location

Waste not, want not



A KITCHEN waste recycling service is available to all street level properties in Hackney.

The Blue Bin scheme lets you recycle all your food scraps, but you can reduce the amount of waste you produce further, which is an even better option.

It is estimated that on average, each person in the UK throws away over £430 worth of food each year.

Try using some of the tips below to help you reduce your kitchen waste.

- **Plan your meals for the week ahead**

Make a list before you go shopping, to prevent you buying items you don't need, or buying food that doesn't get used.

- **Check out the 'use by' dates on all fresh produce**

Always check that you are taking home items that will last you until you need them.

- **Don't go shopping when you're hungry**

Or you may end up buying food that won't get eaten. Eat first, shop second.

- **Look in the freezer**

It's easy to buy frozen items and forget about them, leading to a build up that will eventually have to be thrown away. Check the contents of your freezer before you go shopping.

- **Keep it cool**

Ensure your fridge is set at 5°C. Food will deteriorate rapidly if the temperature is above this level.

- **BOGOF**

Don't go for 'buy one get one free' if you don't really need it.

All food waste except for raw meat, fish and bones can be recycled through the Blue Bin kerbside collection service.

The Council offers compost bins and wormeries at heavily subsidised prices for residents in estates or high-rises, wishing to recycle their kitchen waste.

Call the recycling hotline for more info.

All stories by Annie Gilbert, Recycling Communications Officer

The Green Genie

Q: I'm really glad I can now recycle drinks cartons and Tetra Paks, but why can't I put them in my Green Box?



A: There is currently a very limited market for recycling Tetra Paks in the UK. The Council is running trials at the moment in conjunction with Tetra Pak, and is one of the first Councils to do so.

Five of the banks installed across the borough are part of this trial. In addition, the Council has installed a further four banks, with a fifth due soon. Cartons collected from both banks are sent to the same place for reprocessing. Hopefully the Tetra Pak trials across the UK should stimulate the market,

meaning that in the future this kind of recycling may be added to the Green Box collection.

To find out more, visit: www.tetrapakrecycling.co.uk

To ask the Genie a question, which will be answered in Hackney Today, e-mail:

recycling@hackney.gov.uk, or write to: Green Genie, Rm 47, Town Hall, Mare St, E8 1EA.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Call: 020 8356 6688

E-mail: recycling@hackney.gov.uk

Visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/recycling

How to recycle your kitchen waste*



Place your small kitchen caddy on your work surface, and transfer all vegetable peelings, fruit, tea bags, bread and pasta, egg shells, cooked meat and fish, and raw vegetables into the caddy. **Place the larger bin outside.**



Once the caddy is full, transfer the contents into the larger bin outside, and lock the lid by placing the handle at the front of the bin. **Take the small blue caddy inside, rinse, and place back in your kitchen to start collecting again.**



Place your large bin at the front of your property every week, on your regular collection day, along with your Green Box, where it will be emptied by the recycling crew.

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VOLUNTEER YOUTH MENTORS

With the support of MaPS and Team Hackney we are now recruiting volunteer mentors to support young people with behavioural problems.

Based in Hackney or surrounding areas, you will be:

- Passionate about supporting vulnerable young people
- Available for six training sessions in September
- Able to commit up to three hours per week for six months
- We particularly welcome applications from male volunteers

"This is my first child, but people think I should know what to do."

COACHING YOUNG FATHERS

We are recruiting volunteer mentors and role models to support young fathers as they take on this vital responsibility.

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COME AND PLAY



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Stoke Newington Library on 020 8356 5231



Hackney

In the Olympic spirit



The Speaker and Dervis celebrate with the children

SPORTY youngsters helped mark five years to go until the 2012 Games by taking part in a week of activities, culminating in an Olympic-style ceremony.

More than 25 children aged eight to 11 were rewarded for competing in sports including shot put, javelin and a relay race at Kings Hall Leisure Centre.

The youngsters were awarded medals on 27 July – exactly five years until the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games begin in London.

They were presented by the Speaker of Hackney, Councillor Faizullah Khan, and Paralympic swimmer Dervis Konuralp, who lives in Hackney and is training at London Fields Lido for the 2008 Beijing Games.

Cllr Khan said: "It was great to see how much the children had enjoyed taking part and competing. They should be very proud of their achievements."

The Koolympics event was organised by Greenwich Leisure Limited and Hackney Council to inspire

children to get into the Olympic spirit.

Meanwhile, a dance troupe from the Hackney Empire performed in front of crowds at a 2012 roadshow in Waltham Forest.

The dancers aged 12 to 18 were part of a major event also attended by London 2012 Organising Committee chairman Seb Coe, Olympic gold medallists Kelly Holmes and Jonathan Edwards, and Paralympic gold medallist Tanni Grey-Thompson.

By Emma Britton

Befriending Volunteers URGENTLY REQUIRED

Hackney's Community Resource Team runs a Befriending Scheme for older people in the borough.

We need volunteers who will offer companionship for older people who may be isolated, lonely or housebound.

Volunteers need to have a genuine interest in the well being of older people and be able to offer a minimum of one hour per week of volunteer time.

We currently have volunteering opportunities in: -

- Home Visiting befriending
- Telephone befriending
- Accompanying an older person for an appointment

We particularly welcome anyone who has wheelchair handling experience.

Training is given to all our volunteers. Please call the Community Resource Team on **020 7275 7092** for more information. Your voluntary time will help improve the quality of life for an older person in our community.



Hackney

competition

Zippos Circus is coming back to Hackney with an all-new family show themed around the Wild West. The circus will be at Clissold Park, Green Lanes, Stoke Newington, from Thursday 30 August to Tuesday 4 September.

The circus bonanza introduces: The Mohicans acrobatic troupe extraordinaire; Henri, Prince of Clowns; High Chaparral horses presented by seven-year-old cowgirl Little Miss Kristina Roberts and her dad Tom; whip-cracking, rope-spinning Western antics from the Faltny Trio and much more besides.

Above the circus ring will be Georgeta on trapeze and Ina on aerial silks, while dazzling high-wire artists The Ayalas will have audiences on the edges of their seats.



To win one of 10 family tickets, which each admit four people, just answer this question:

How old is Little Miss Kristina Roberts?

- a) Six
- b) Seven
- c) Eight

Send your entry by noon on 20 August to: Zippos Circus competition, Hackney Today, Room 47, Town Hall, Mare Street, London, E8 1EA. Or e-mail: lee.ray@hackney.gov.uk

The winners of the Bob the Builder competition from issue 162 of Hackney Today were:

1) R Singh, N16, 2) D Shaw, E5, 3) A Hiller, E9

The winners of the Towards The Light Fantastic competition from issue 162 of Hackney Today were:

1) M Drain, E5, 2) D Shaw, E5, 3) J Williams, E8, 4) A Seery, N1, 5) J Fagon, E8

Healthy Lifestyles Scheme

Are you worried about your child's weight? Are they getting enough exercise? Young people from 7-13 years of age and their families will need to book quickly to take advantage of a free programme set to make them happier and healthier.



The lifestyle programme has been organised by the Hackney Healthy Lifestyles Team and will run centres across Hackney and the City with a focus on exciting games, exercise, drama workshops and nutrition advice.

Call today to book your introductory meeting or for further information. New course starting in September 2007.

Please note places are limited.

For registration or further information contact the Hackney Healthy Lifestyles Team, Des Ryner 07956 375078 or Lisa Krockel 020 8356 7443. The Hackney Healthy Lifestyles Scheme is a partnership project between Hackney Council and Hackney Teaching Primary Care Trust.



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→ From 3 September 2007

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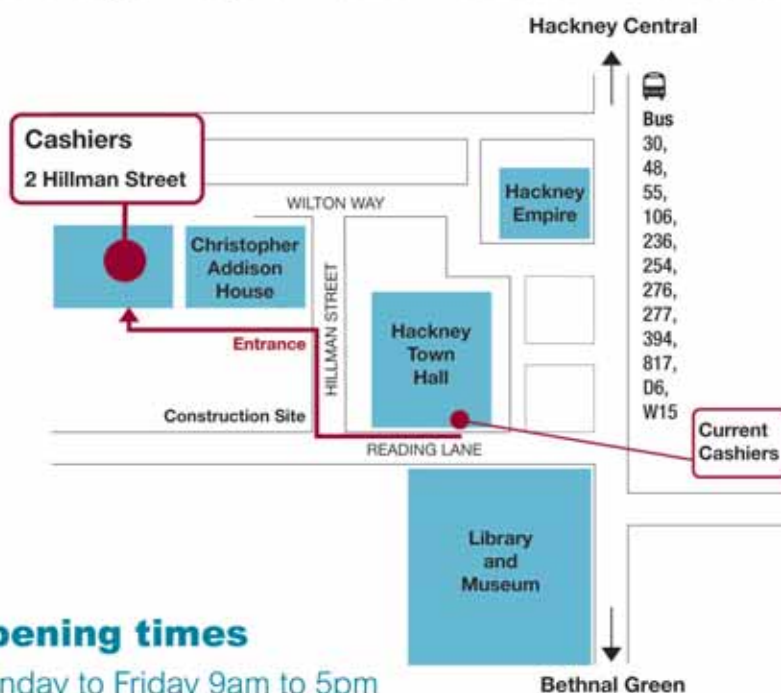
In Stoke Newington you can also make payments at the Post Office, 170 Church Street and Stoke Newington High Street.

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HACKNEY Archives

A tale of three town halls

DID you know that in front of Hackney Town Hall used to stand another town hall which was pulled down more than 70 years ago when the current building was constructed?

Plans are in place to restore the Town Hall to its former Art Deco glory, in partnership with English Heritage.

The current town hall is the third town hall the borough has seen, and replaced the older building which stood on what is now the Town Hall Square.

The older building was constructed in the 1860s to house the newly created Hackney District Board of Works.

This covered both Hackney

and Stoke Newington, carrying out functions such as maintaining roads, pavements and sewers and dealing with 'sanitary nuisances'.



Hackney's second town hall, woodcut from Illustrated London News, 1866 (ref: P12487)

It in turn had replaced the first Hackney town hall, built around 1802. This building remains standing today – in front of St Augustine's Tower

in the Narrow Way, Mare Street.

The third town hall of the 1930s was needed to house the offices of the Metropolitan Borough of Hackney, created in 1900.

The Borough was providing more services such as Maternity and Child Welfare Clinics, generating its own electricity and building its first housing estates.

The foundation stone of the new building was laid on 23 October, 1934 and it was officially opened on 3 July,

1937.

Some alterations had to be made to the building during World War Two, such as strengthening the basement

so that it could serve as the Control Centre for Air Raid Precautions.

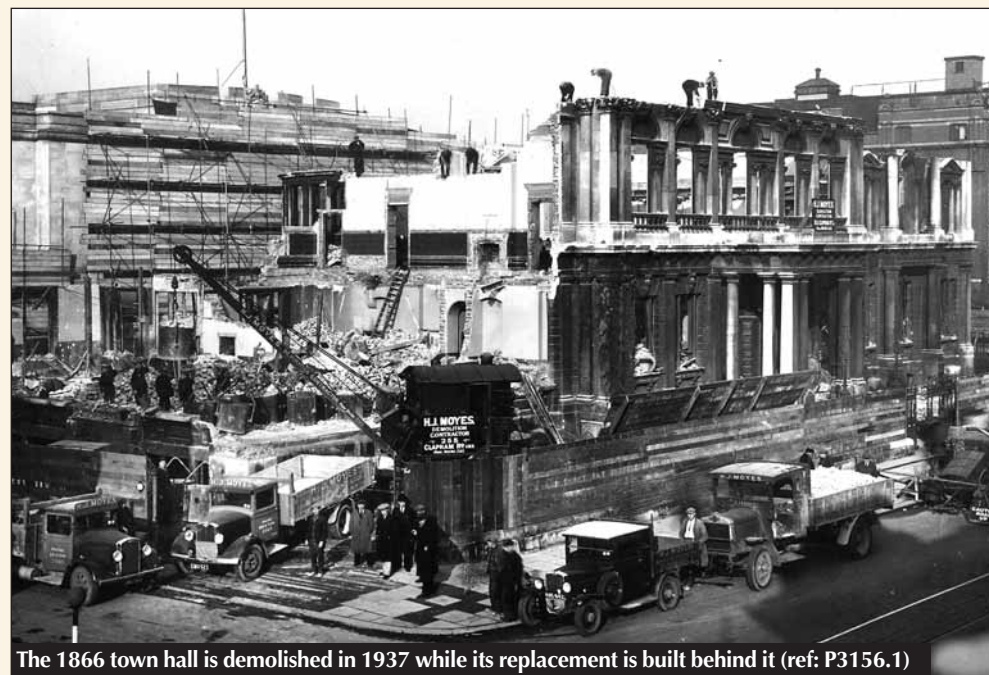
After the war some local government functions were lost (Maternity and Child Welfare went to the newly created NHS and electricity

to the LEB.)

Others however, such as town planning, old people's welfare and civic entertainment were taken on and some services, such as housing were greatly extended.

When the London Borough of Hackney was formed in 1965, this town hall became its principal building.

By Elizabeth Green, Hackney Archives, IT and Searchroom Officer



The 1866 town hall is demolished in 1937 while its replacement is built behind it (ref: P3156.1)

Hackney Archives: The service looks after the archives of the London Borough of Hackney, the administrative records of the borough Council and its predecessors back to 1700, together with the records of organisations and individuals with links to Hackney. It has local, religious, business, family, personal and other records, and is based at 43 De Beauvoir Rd, N1. Call: **020 7241 2886** for an appointment, or visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/ca-archives. All photographic reproduction rights reserved by Hackney Archives.

Health advice

By Dr Mary Stuart



THE big C is endemic in our society. No, not cancer, but candida albicans – also known as thrush.

Symptoms include tiredness, itching, cravings, bloating, infections, mental problems and general unwellness. If you're fed up with the cycle of misery, read on.

The huge problems with thrush are connected to the way we eat. So many of us eat fast and processed food.

The way out of this suffering is to focus on healthy eating and drinking.

Fresh and natural foods are best: fresh vegetables and fruit, whole grains, fresh meat or fish, and pulses.

Yeast is a real culprit; avoid yeasted bread, cheese, vinegar, sugar and alcohol to give your body a chance to heal.

This may seem difficult to begin with, so exclude what you can at first. The more you are able to do, the better you will feel.

Sweet and fizzy drinks are also a problem, as are tea and coffee. Water is the best way to hydrate our bodies, and has the beneficial effect of keeping our bodies in balance too. Herbal teas are recommended too.

Regular thrush infections compromise the immune system. The daily intake of garlic will definitely help; garlic has a strong anti-thrush effect.

Aloe vera juice and unheated olive oil are also powerful in their action against candida albicans.

Getting your focus onto healthy eating and drinking will help to deal with the problems of thrush and give a well-earned boost to the immune system.

For more info, contact: **020 7275 8434**, or e-mail: marystuart76@hotmail.com

By Mary Stuart DThd, DNMed, MBANT

have your say



Give your views on licensing

Hackney Council is in the process of reviewing its Statement of Licensing Policy and is consulting on the revised draft.

The policy is used to guide the Council when considering licence applications and licence reviews for clubs, pubs, bars, restaurants, takeaways and off-licences.

By law we must review our policy and the impact it has on the local community every three years.

You can have your say by downloading a copy of the Council's draft revised policy:

www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Alternatively, visit a drop-in session on 14 September between 10am and 4pm at the Assembly Room, Hackney Town Hall, Mare Street, E8.

For more information about the revised policy or drop-in sessions, call the licensing team on: **020 8356 4931** or write to: Licensing Service, 263 Mare Street, London E8 3HT.

The Council is consulting between August and October, and the deadline for responses is 24 October.

Your feedback will be considered and used to revise the draft policy.

Woodberry Down planning application

Thank you to all 128 of you who responded to the Woodberry Down planning application. The report is due to go to the next Planning Sub Committee meeting on 3 September. Watch this space for any further developments.

Hackney Emergency Plan

We welcome your views on our new borough-wide emergency plan, and we are inviting comments until 31 September.

The emergency plan was created to enable the Council to respond effectively to emergencies, both within Hackney and the surrounding areas.

There was a mock emergency carried out in June on Hackney Marshes which tested the plan.

Although it is fit for purpose, we would like to get your views on whether the suggestions are fully workable and whether specific cultural and religious issues have been accounted for.

The consultation will be carried out in a number of ways, including information in places such as libraries and council office reception areas, through e-mail and letter, and at forum meetings. You can also view the details on the Council's website:

www.consultationfinder.com/hackney

If you have any queries, contact Sam Moffitt, Senior Emergency Planning Officer, on: **020 8356 2362** or e-mail: emergency-planning@hackney.gov.uk

By Gabriel Harriss
Information Officer

Hackney in BL M

Green fingered residents from across the borough have had their gardening skills honoured in this year's Hackney in Bloom competition.

Winners of the third annual contest potted and pruned their way to scoop prizes for categories

ranging from Best Educational Garden to Best Front Garden.

This year's competition was the biggest so far, and aimed to make the borough more attractive while raising awareness of the environment.

Homerton Library in Homerton High Street took

the top prize for Best Business Premises, and manager Marcia Charles was "thrilled".

She said: "The library's user group came up with the idea to bring some colour to the front of the library and this was taken up by the staff, so it really was a team effort. We came

in on Saturdays to do the gardening."

All entrants have been invited to attend an awards ceremony in October. First prize winners have also been entered into the city-wide London in Bloom contest.

Councillor Nargis Khan, Lead Member for Parks and Leisure Services, said:

"Congratulations to the winners and everyone that took part in the competition.

"The Council is investing in our many parks and open spaces but we all need to play our part in looking after our local environment so that it remains a pleasant place to live and work in."

The Council's Community Services department organised the competition, with support from sponsors JH Services, Furnitubes, Rigby Taylor, Beauchamp Clark and Park Leisure.com

By Karyn Michael

Best Front Garden

Best Front Garden went to Anil Chakowa. Judges were impressed with the

sheer number of plant varieties, height variations and colourful

window boxes containing Fuschias and Dahlias.

Best Container Garden

Ebrahim Sali won **Best Container Garden**. Judges looked for great examples of a

front garden, balcony patio or area that used window boxes or hanging gardens of any sort

to display plants. Ebrahim's impressive mixture of colour helped him beat other entries.



Best Bloomin' Pub

1st Prize: Michelle Hall, Beehive, E9
2nd Prize: Sue Chapman, Albion, E2



Following on from its win last year, the Beehive in Hoxton won first prize for

Best Bloomin' Pub. A great variety of different coloured plants, tropical foliage

and the sheer number of plants impressed the panel.

Best Communal Garden



Residents of The Strand Building won **Best Communal Garden** for looking after the courtyard garden in the heart of their complex. The eye-catching

garden uses Mediterranean-style plants to reduce the water needed. Paul Howarth picked up the prize on behalf of all involved.

Homerton Library won **Best Business Premises** for its colourful containers and community planting scheme.>

Best Residential Garden



Best Residential Garden This category awards a street, estate, square or any group of homes that have collectively contributed to the floral environment. First prize winner was Alma Bensusan for her wealth of plants, good maintenance and excellent use of colour and borders.

Best Business Premises



Best Educational Garden



Ickburgh School's garden won the first prize for **Best Educational Garden** for its palms and wild garden. Judges were impressed by the way children contributed to the gardening and pond, and the way staff used horticulture as an educational tool.

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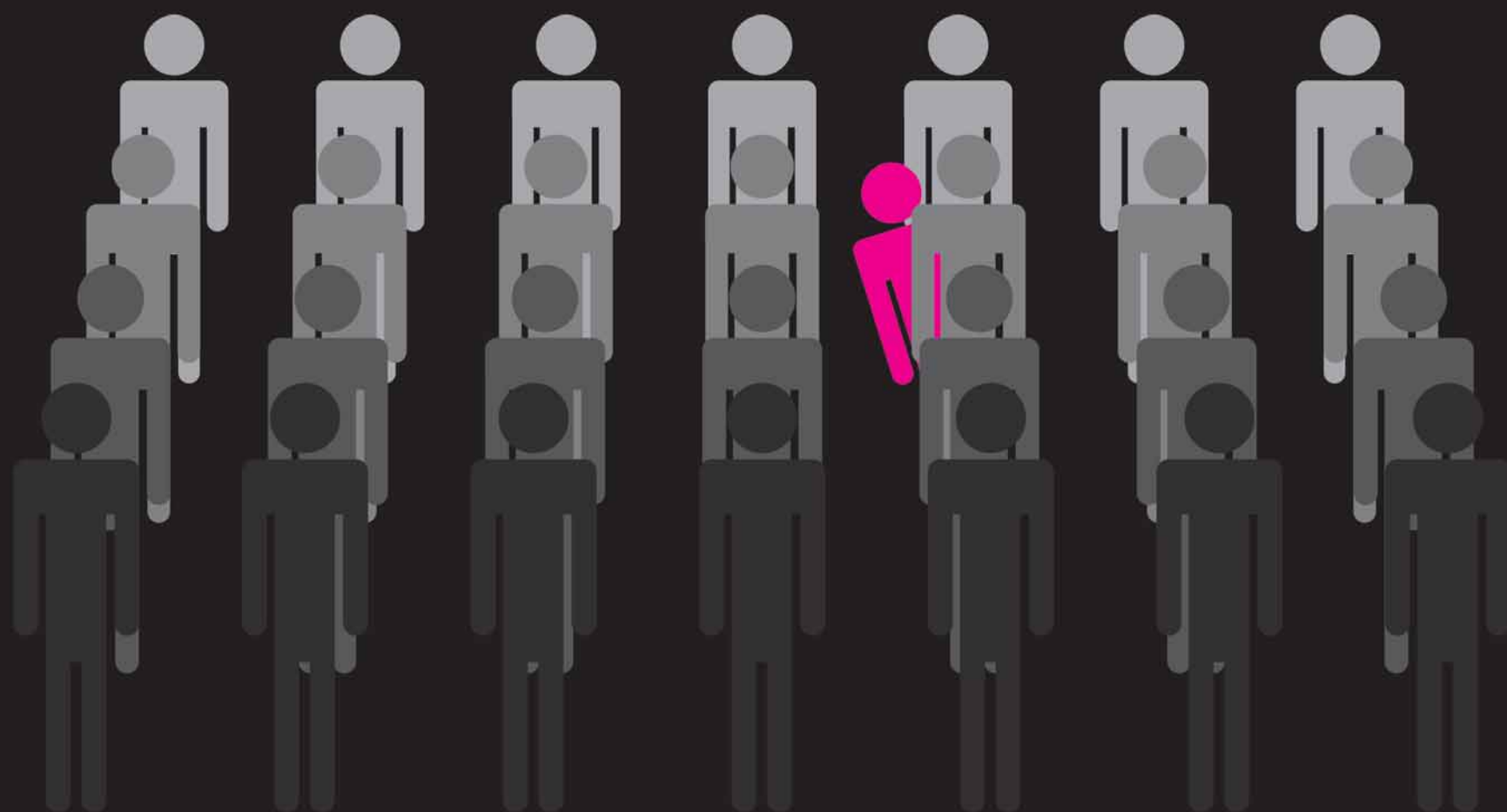
For more info, please contact Co-ordinators Joanne Deane or Jason Douglas on 020 8356 3254 or email joanne.deane@hackney.gov.uk or jason.douglas@hackney.gov.uk
This day has been organised by Hackney Council's Revenues and Benefits Division.

The event is sponsored by Hackney Council. The Council reserves the right to use images taken on the day for advertising and publicity.



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Stop, in the name of the law



Drivers must stop for school crossing patrols

It is against the law not to stop at school crossing patrols. This is the message of a major new effort being led by the Council.

The Stop Means Stop campaign informs drivers that if they don't stop they could face action including a fine of up to £1,000, three penalty



points on their licence and even disqualification.

And it lets people know that lollipop people are not just for children. They can also assist anyone who needs help crossing the road. The Highway Code says:

- Drivers should always stop a safe distance from the crossing patrol
- After people have crossed

the road, drivers must not move off until the patrol has returned to the pavement

- Drivers should take special care when driving near schools, even if there is no crossing patrol in operation.

Councillor Alan Laing, Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, said: "It's surprising how few people realise that failing to stop for a school crossing patrol is an offence. It is the minority of drivers who cause the problem and their lack of

judgement can potentially put lives at risk.

"The Stop Means Stop campaign aims to educate those who flout the law. It supports the school crossing patrols who do a fantastic job and are an important part of Hackney's road safety strategy."

Cllr Laing will be in the Town Hall Square, Mare Street, E8, on Monday 3 September at 1.30pm to launch the campaign.

He will be joined by the

Speaker of Hackney, Councillor Faizullah Khan, and a number of Hackney's lollipop people, who will be on hand to offer information and advice.

For more information about the campaign, or about becoming a school crossing patrol person in Hackney, call Diana Barks on: **020 8356 8339** or e-mail: diana.barks@hackney.gov.uk

By Gracia Douglas

In brief

First Olympic bridge

WORK is under way in the Olympic Park to build the first bridge to provide a link for construction vehicles working on the media centres in Hackney.

The 45-metre temporary structure will span the River Lea, linking the site to the VeloPark in Newham. It is designed to keep disruption to traffic on local roads to a minimum.

Earthworks have begun to prepare the platforms for the construction of the media centres in 2008 and the VeloPark in 2009. The bridge will allow vehicles to travel between the east and west sides of the Park site without having to use public roads and bridges.

The bridge structure is expected to be lifted into place next month.

Talking buses

BUSES with on-board displays and voice announcements telling passengers what the next stop is are to be rolled out across London, following successful trials in Hackney.

As part of a £117m upgrade, Transport for London is fitting all its 8,000 buses with the new systems over the next four years.

Trials on the 149 bus service in Hackney revealed 91 per cent of passengers found the information helpful.

The new technology will also provide electronic displays at bus stops showing when the next bus is due to arrive.

Train line upgrade

THE Gospel Oak to Barking rail line is to benefit from a major overhaul after the Government committed £18.5m in funding. Its signalling system will be improved so that Transport for London can run a more reliable service and double the existing number of passenger trains, after it takes control of the North London Line as part of the London Overground network in November.

More bus lanes for Green Lanes?

BUS service 141 may get extra bus lanes. This is just one of the measures being considered as part of a study to find ways of improving the service.

Other options being looked into include improvements for pedestrians, cyclists and the environment on the route between Manor House and Old Street via Clissold Park, Newington Green and Shoreditch Park.

By Roger Blake, Principal Transport Planner

Roadworks ahead

DRIVERS and bus passengers are being warned to check their route before they travel due to a raft of road works along the A10.

Delays are expected between Stamford Hill and Shoreditch due to various works including road resurfacing, Thames Water replacing Victorian water mains and the East London Line extension.

The various works are planned to last into the beginning of next year.

It is likely there will also be delays on Upper Clapton Road when bridge-strengthening works begin

outside Clapton Station.

Bus passengers are advised to use alternative routes, and also to try train services which run parallel to some of the affected bus routes. Stamford Hill is 15 minutes away from Liverpool Street on the train, and Clapton is just 10 minutes away.

Similarly, Finsbury Park is 12 minutes from Moorgate on the line running via Highbury & Islington and Old Street.

Travellers who fancy a change could get on their bike and try cycling instead. Transport experts suggest allowing five minutes per

mile, which is about 20 minutes from Stamford Hill to Liverpool Street.

Bus routes expected to be delayed include: 8, 26, 35, 42, 47, 48, 67, 73, 76, 78, 106, 149, 242, 243, 276, 318, 344, 349, 388, 393, 394, 476.

Services crossing the A10 are also likely to be affected: 30, 38, 55, 56, 253, 254, 277.

For full and up-to-date travel information, check the Transport for London website: www.tfl.gov.uk/tfl/livetravelnews/realtime/buses/default.html



Roadworks at Stamford Hill

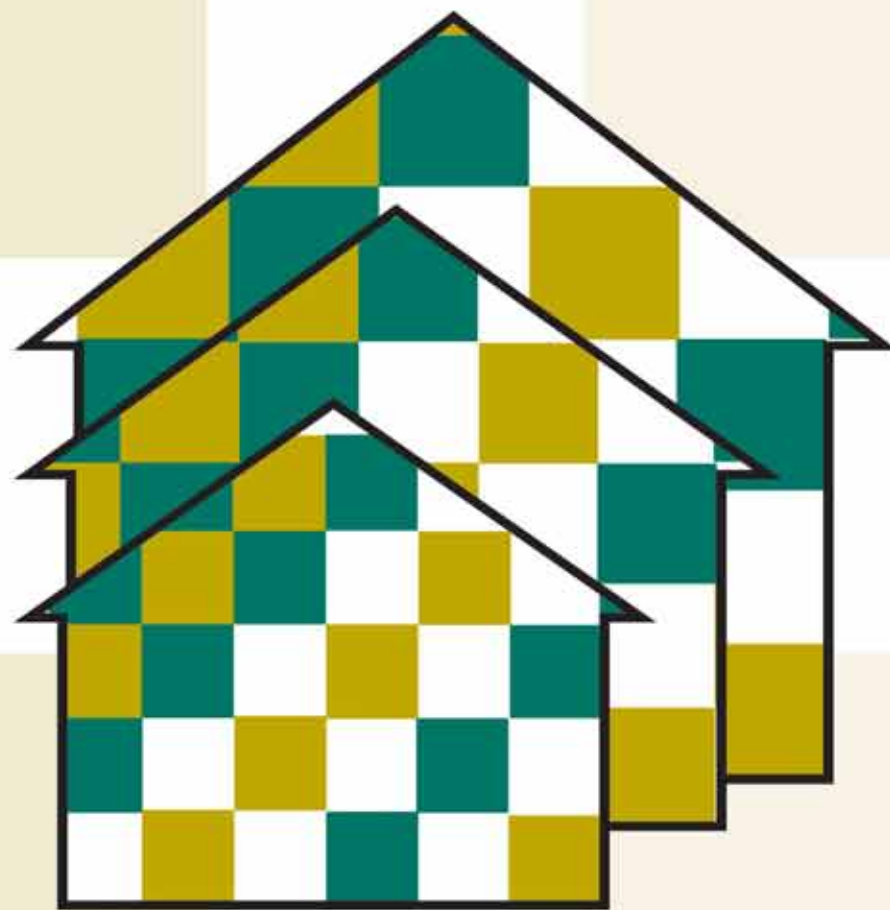
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Job Profile

Cheryl Bowen

The Community Education Manager for Hackney Museum talks to us about the Schools and Families Learning Officer post and opportunities in the Council.



What is the background of Hackney Museum?

Hackney Museum is a resource to be used and enjoyed by all of Hackney residents and visitors to the borough. It is our drive to make sure it is a vibrant experience and a place for creative learning.

The permanent exhibition looks at the History of Hackney and the different aspects of why people come to Hackney and why they leave. We also have temporary exhibitions that tend to last for 3 – 4 months.

What are your main areas of responsibility?

I look after education and learning in the museum,

particularly for people over 16 years old.

And the Schools and Families Learning Officer post?

This is a really interesting post that is initially for six months to cover maternity leave. The post has responsibility to manage and develop schools resourcing with an emphasis on family learning, and will be in charge of a number of workshops that interpret the current temporary exhibition for formal and informal education groups. The post will also involve researching and preparing learning resources which are relevant to the National

Curriculum, and working together with local and national organisations to promote the museum's learning service. The post holder will work with me and the Exhibitions Team to plan and deliver other events as well in response to the museum's temporary exhibition programme.

Why do you enjoy working in Hackney?

Hackney has an exciting and creative arts scene. It really is a great place to be involved with the arts. I enjoy being part of a small team that regularly puts on innovative and creative exhibitions and workshops.

Children and Young People's Service

Consultant Social Worker
£39,739 - £42,231 PA INC.
Closing date for receipt of completed applications is

2nd September 2007

The post offers practitioners the chance to lead the social work unit to ensure that we continue to keep children safe; reduce the number of looked after children; provide intensive and high quality therapeutic and

practical support for families with children on the edge of care. If you'd like more information, visit the website on the right quoting the reference numbers below, or contact Clare Chamberlain on 07974 739 177.

Why work for us? Hackney is a fast improving, high profile Council, serving one of the UK's most diverse populations. Regeneration projects are improving housing, public services and transport links. Crime is falling. Exam results are up. The Olympics are coming ...

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Disabled Children's Service:
CYP/DCS/CSW/7B
Leaving Care Services:
CYP/LC/CSW/6B

Group Manager
£47,412 - £50,106 PA INC.
Ref: CYP/CSC/GM/19B
Closing date for receipt of completed applications is 2nd September 2007

The post holder will manage networks of Consultant Social Workers. We need qualified people with strong leadership and management skills who believe in the possibility of change, and have the knowledge and experience to make that change. If you'd like more information, visit the website on the right of the page quoting the reference number above, or contact Clare Chamberlain on 07974 739177.

Community Services

Schools and Families Learning Officer
Six month maternity cover with possibility of being extended
£26,277 - £27,807
Ref: COS174/49812/IB
Closing date for receipt of completed applications is 24th August 2007

Hackney Museum is seeking an enthusiastic person to market, deliver and evaluate primary schools and family learning programmes based on the collections, displays and themes of Hackney Museum.

Neighbourhoods & Regeneration

Housing Advice & Options Team Leader
£30,595 PA INC.
Ref: NR171/49843/IB
Closing date for receipt of completed applications is 7th September 2007
The post holder will be innovative, level headed, and driven by good customer

service. S/he will have experience leading a team and knowledge of housing needs, homelessness or private sector advice/options setting. For an informal discussion contact Funmi Adeleye on 020 8356 5830, or visit the website below.

Customer Service Officer
£23,994 - £25,396 PA INC.
Ref: NR172/49844/IB
Closing date for receipt of completed applications is 7th September 2007

The post holder will work in the Housing Advice & Homelessness Reception, within the Housing Needs service. S/he will interview clients and be responsible for carrying out investigatory checks.

For more information about any of the vacancies listed, please visit www.hackney.gov.uk/jobs

HACKNEY DRUG & ALCOHOL ACTION TEAM (DAAT) – DAT ASSERTIVE RESPONSE TEAM (DART)

Hackney is a marvellously vibrant and diverse community which has demonstrated considerable improvement at a whole range of levels in recent years. The development of the DART service is a key component in co-ordinating and delivering effective responses on the ground to local people's needs around substance misuse and its effects. It is a new and exciting service to engage 'hard to reach' drug and alcohol using individuals by working strategically, flexibly and assertively in targeted areas and through partnership outreach work. The team will ensure that individuals are enabled to access appropriate treatment and support to meet their needs and address the problems of drug and alcohol-related activity across Hackney communities.

DART will also respond rapidly and proactively to hotspots (areas where drug and alcohol/anti-social behaviour problems are being reported) that arise across the Borough. The team will comprehensively assess the problem and take action to clear those areas of difficulties, either through work with identified problem individuals or by enabling the strategic co-ordination of the response of other services.

The DART team will work in a culturally diverse Borough with an extremely marginalised and disadvantaged group. Team members need to have a clear understanding of anti-discriminatory practice, as well as a positive attitude to working with marginalised and chaotic individuals in the community.

The service needs people who will work together as a supportive team, able and willing to undertake challenging work at unreasonable hours with chaotic clients, reassure community members and work positively and effectively with a wide range of partners from local police to Hospitals. The service will contribute to the Mayors overall priority to make Hackney a better place.

DART Manager

£35,592 - £38,088 (PO4)

You will need considerable "street" experience for this post, with excellent and proven team management skills, especially in building and motivating a team in the face of difficult and challenging circumstances. You will have a commanding knowledge and experience of drink and alcohol misuse issues and will have worked in a frontline street agency with people with substance misuse problems, mental health issues and homelessness. You will need to think on your feet, work alongside partners in hot spot areas and demonstrate strong leadership skills attracting the respect and co-operation of partners and clients and be able to communicate your work and needs to a number of different audiences. **Ref: NR169/49820/HT**

DART Team Leader

£30,594 - £32,961 (PO2)

Deputising for the Team Manager on occasion, your key responsibility will be leading the DART team operationally on a day-to-day basis. You will have extensive and proven people management skills, and experience of street issues across all the areas of public concern on substance misuse and be able to commit enthusiastically to the development and leadership of this team. You will have excellent communication skills and be able to work positively alongside partners such as police, health and social care services and agencies on the frontline, often at unsociable hours. **Ref: NR170/49821/HT**

To apply, please telephone our Response Handling Consultants, TMP Worldwide, for an application pack on 020 7649 6044 or email Hackney@TMPW.co.uk quoting the appropriate reference, your full contact address and contact number(s).

Closing date for receipt of completed applications is Friday, 17 August 2007.

Through the Local Government Pension Scheme, the Council offer a generous and competitive final salary scheme.

One of the core values of the Council is an unequivocal commitment to the principle and operation of equality in terms of how we deliver the best services to our customers and all the people of Hackney, how we recruit, and how we support our staff. We welcome applications from people who can make that principle a reality.



Your Mayor & local councillors

Councillors are elected by the residents of Hackney, and serve for four years. The last elections were in May 2006.

Councillors have a range of responsibilities, including helping oversee Hackney Council and the services it provides.

They all hold 'advice surgeries', times when you can meet them and ask them to take up issues that may be of concern.

Generally councillors can help with Council related matters and the services delivered by Hackney Council, although if the matter is the responsibility of another person or organisation they can often point you in the right direction and tell you who you might need to see.

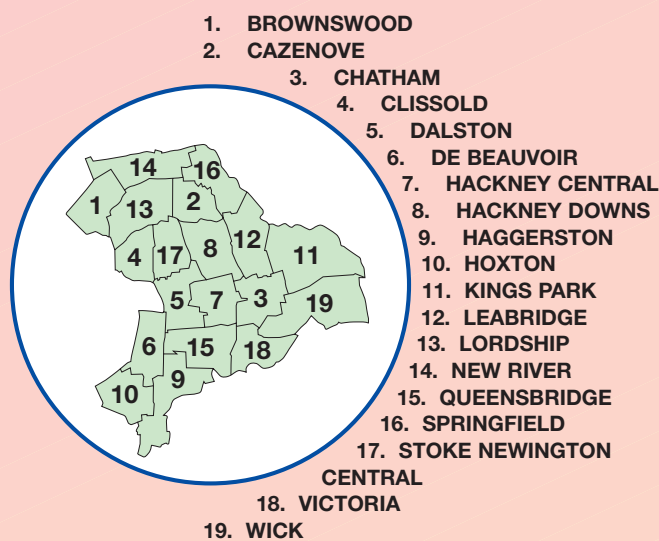
There are 57 councillors covering the borough representing areas called wards. These are below.

Please note some councillors do not hold surgeries in August due to the holidays. Please call the number below to check times and dates.

If you want to know which councillor covers your area call **020 8356 3000**.

To find out more about Hackney Council and councillors log onto www.hackney.gov.uk.

Hackney's wards in alphabetical order



Advice Surgery on Crime and Community Safety issues

Cllr Nkafu 5-6pm 1st Monday of the month, Town Hall, Mare St, E8.
Ring 020 8356 3211 for an appointment.

BROWNSWOOD 1

Cllr Darren Parker
1st Friday each month, 9-10am, Robin Redmond Resource Centre, 440 Seven Sisters Road Woodberry Down Estate, N4
Cllr Feryat Demirci
1st Saturday each month, 11am-12.30pm, Amwell Court Community Hall, Green Lanes, N4
Cllr Brian Bell
3rd Wednesday each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Kings Crescent Community Hall, off Green Lanes, N4

CAZENOVE 2

Cllrs Stauber & Sharer
Each Thursday, 10.30-11.30am, North London Muslim Community Centre, 68 Cazenove Road, N16.
Cllr Dawood Akhoon
1st & 3rd Saturday each month, 10am-12.30pm, NLMCC, 68 Cazenove Rd, N16.
2nd & 4th Saturday of each month, 10am-12.30pm, Stamford Hill Community Hall, Stamford Hill Estate, N16.
Cllr Akhoon can visit housebound constituents - call 020 8806 1147 on Saturday 10am-12.30pm, or call Members' Services on 020 8356 5000

CHATHAM 3

Cllrs Luke Akehurst, Sally Mulready, Guy Nicholson
2nd Friday each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8
3rd Friday each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Jack Dunning Community Hall, Homerton Row, E9
Last Friday each month, 7-8pm, Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8

CLISSOLD 4

Cllr Linda Smith
1st Wednesday each month, 10-11am at Hawksley Court Community Hall
Cllr Karen Alcock
2nd Friday each month, 6-7pm at Milton Gardens Community Hall, Milton Gardens Estate (disabled access)
Cllr Karen Alcock and Linda Smith in rotation
3rd Monday each month, 5-6pm at Burma Court Community Hall, Burma Rd, N16
Cllr Mischa Borris
3rd Friday each month, 6.30-7.30pm Frank Haley Community Room, Burma Court Estate, Burma Road, N16

DALSTON 5

Cllrs Sophie Linden, Nargis Khan & Angus Mulready-Jones
1st Thursday each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Evelyn Court, Amhurst Rd, E8.
2nd Saturday each month, 12 noon-1pm, Community Hall, Millard Close, Shellgrove Estate, N16
3rd Friday each month, 6.30-7.30pm, CLR James Library, 24-30 Dalston Lane, E8

DE BEAUVOIR 6

Cllrs Robert Chapman, Gulay Icoz & Christopher McShane
2nd Saturday each month, 11-12noon, Coleville Community Hall, 35 Branch St, N1.
3rd Saturday each month - ward walkabout surgery in the afternoon.
You can email the Councillors at DeBeauvoir@hackney-labour.org.uk, or telephone a message to Member Services 020 8356 3207/3350.

HACKNEY CENTRAL 7

Cllrs Samantha Lloyd, Alan Laing & Vincent Stops (on a rota basis)
1st Saturday each month, 10am-11am, Pembury Senior Citizens Club, Hindrey Rd, Pembury Estate, E8
2nd Saturday each month, 11am-12 noon, Wilton Wilton Community Hall, Greenwood Rd, E8
4th Saturday each month, 11am-12 noon, Mountford Community Hall, Cecilia Road, E8
Cllr Laing is also available by appointment at the Town Hall. Call 020 8356 3350/3207 to make an appointment.

HACKNEY DOWNS 8

Cllr Faizullah Khan
1st Saturday each month, 11am-12 noon, Gooch House meeting room, Gooch House (access via Concierge Reception) Kenninghall Rd, E5
Cllr Michael Desmond
1st Sunday each month, 11am-12 noon, Nightingale Estate Office, 7 Olympus Square, Nightingale Estate, E5. Cllr Desmond can also be seen by appointment at Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8, call 020 8356 3373
Cllr Sem Moema
2nd Sunday each month, 11am-12 noon, Nightingale Estate Office, 7 Olympus Square, Nightingale Estate, E5
Last Sunday each month, 11am-12 noon, Landfield Community Hall, Landfield Estate, Stellman Close E5

HAGGERSTON 9

Cllrs Afolasade Bright, Barry Buitekant and Jonathan McShane
1st Monday each month, 7-8pm, Shoreditch Town Hall, 380 Old St EC1
1st Thursday each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Haggerston Community Centre, Haggerston Rd, E8
2nd Thursday each month, 7-8pm, Fellows Court Community Hall, Weymouth Terrace, E2
3rd Thursday each month, 6.30-7.30pm Goldsmith's Community Hall, Goldsmith's Square, E2
4th Saturday each month, 11am-noon, VLC Centre, Whiston Rd, E2

The Mayor



Jules Pipe

Hackney has an executive Mayor, Jules Pipe, who is not a councillor, but is directly elected by the entire borough.

The Mayor is the political leader of the Council, overseeing the budget and all Council services.

Civic and ceremonial duties are undertaken by the Speaker of the Council who is elected annually from the borough's 57 councillors. Faizullah Khan is the current Speaker.

HOXTON 10

Cllr Clayeon McKenzie
2nd Tuesday each month, 6pm-7pm, The Bell Club, Bowling Green Walk, Pitfield St, N1
Cllr Carole Williams
2nd Monday each month, 5.30pm-6.30pm, 16a Malcolm House, Arden Estate, N1
Cllr Philip Glanville
3rd Wednesday each month 6-7pm at the Provost Community Hall, Murray Grove, N1. Cllr Glanville can also be contacted on 07967 116537.
3rd Saturday of every month, 11am-12 noon, The Bell Club, Bowling Green Walk, Pitfield St, N1

KINGS PARK 11

Cllr Sharon Patrick
1st Friday each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Community Flat, 5 Oswald's Mead, Sherry's Wharf, E9 (disabled access). I can visit constituents who are disabled or housebound at other times. Please ring 020 8356 3373 to arrange a visit.
Cllr Saleem Siddiqui
1st & 3rd Friday each month, 7-8pm, Vi Forrester Hall (behind the Housing Office), Gilpin Rd, E5
Cllr Julius Nkafu
3rd Saturday each month, 12noon-1pm, Kingsmead Tenants Hall, Templemead House, Homerton Rd E9

LEABRIDGE 12

Cllrs Linda Kelly, Deniz Oguzkanli and Cllr Ian Rathbone
1st Sunday each month, 11am-12 noon, Tenants Association Hall, Beechholme Estate, Prout Rd, E5
2nd Saturday each month, 1-2pm, Wayside Community Centre, 24 Chatsworth Rd, E5 (reduced mobility access)
4th Saturday each month, 2-3pm, the Community Flat, 10 Detmold Rd, Jack Watts Estate, E5 (except August).

LORDSHIP 13

Cllrs Bernard Aussenberg, Simon Tesler and Mathew Coggins
1st Sunday each month, 11.30am-12.30pm, Peter Collins Memorial Hall, Homleigh Rd Estate
3rd Sunday every month, 2-3pm, Lordship ward councillors, Coggins, Assenberg & Tesler, surgeries will be held at Stoke Newington Library, Church Street N16

NEW RIVER 14

Cllr Maureen Middleton, Cllr Harvey Odze and Cllr Simche Steinberger
Cllr Middleton
1st Sunday each month, 11.30am-12.30pm at the Seven Blocks TA Flat, 1 Wyersdale House, Woodberry Down Estate, N4
4th Sunday each month, 11.30am-12.30 pm at Ben Simons Hall, Block 1-66 Lincoln Court, Bethune Rd, N16
If you cannot get to any of the surgeries, call 020 7249 9155 or 07930 575 912 and leave a message with your name and number and Cllr Middleton will return your call as soon as she can.
Cllr Steinberger (**NEW SURGERY**)
2nd Monday each month from 11 June, 4-5pm, at Stamford Hill Library, Portland Ave, N16
Cllr Harvey Odze is available via his mobile 07790 902 513 Mon-Thur only, or members support on 020 8356 3350, letter, or harvey.odze@hackney.gov.uk

QUEENSBRIDGE 15

Cllrs Thomas Price, Emma Plouviez and Cllr Patrick Vernon (on a rota basis)
1st Saturday each month, 12 noon-1pm, Queensbridge Leisure Centre, 30 Holly St, E8
2nd, 3rd and 4th Saturday each month, 12 noon-1pm, Pensioners Hall, Regents Estate

SPRINGFIELD 16

Cllrs Eric Ollerenshaw OBE, Jacob Landau & Shuja Shaikh (on a rota basis)
1st and 3rd Sunday each month 11.30 am-12.30 pm at Webb Estate Community Hall, Clapton Common, E5

STOKE NEWINGTON CENTRAL 17

Cllrs Rita Krishna, Jamie Carswell and Muttalip Unluer (on a rota basis)
1st, 2nd and 4th Saturday each month 10-11am, Yorkshire Grove Estate Community Hall, Gunstor Rd, N16 (except Bank Holiday weekends)
1st Thursday each month 2-3pm, Halkevi Community Centre, 92-100 Stoke Newington Rd, N16

VICTORIA 18

Cllr Daniel Kemp
1st Saturday each month, 10.30am-11.30am, Pitcairn Hall (entrance in Mare St), Pitcairn House, Frampton Park Estate, E9 (disabled access)
Cllr Katie Hanson
2nd Wednesday each month, 7-8pm, New Kingshold Community Centre, on the Corner of Ainsworth Road & Primrose Sq, E9 (disabled access)
Cllr Geoff Taylor
3rd Wednesday each month 11-12pm, Salvation Army Building, 70 Mare Street, E8 (disabled access)

WICK 19

Cllrs Jessica Webb, Christine Boyd and Christopher Kennedy (on a rota basis)
1st Sunday each month 12 noon-1pm, Wick OAP Hall, Trowbridge Estate, Eastway, E9
3rd Sunday each month 12 noon-1pm, Granard House, Gascoyne Estate E9

Please note some councillors do not hold surgeries in August due to the holidays. Please call 020 8356 3000 to check times and dates.

Cllr Akehurst	Cllr Akhoon	Cllr Alcock	Cllr Aussenberg	Cllr Bell	Cllr Borris
Cllr Boyd	Cllr Bright	Cllr Buitekant	Cllr Carswell	Cllr Chapman	Cllr Coggins
Cllr Demirci	Cllr Desmond	Cllr Glanville	Cllr Hanson	Cllr Icoz	Cllr Kelly
Cllr Kemp	Cllr Kennedy	Cllr Khan	Cllr Khan	Cllr Krishna	Cllr Laing
Cllr Landau	Cllr Linden	Cllr Lloyd	Cllr McKenzie	Cllr McShane	Cllr McShane
Cllr Middleton	Cllr Moema	Cllr Mulready	Cllr Mulready-Jones	Cllr Nicholson	Cllr Nkafu
Cllr Odze	Cllr Oguzkanli	Cllr Ollerenshaw	Cllr Parker	Cllr Patrick	Cllr Plouviez
Cllr Price	Cllr Rathbone	Cllr Shaikh	Cllr Sharer	Cllr Siddiqui	Cllr Smith
Cllr Stauber	Cllr Steinberger	Cllr Stops	Cllr Taylor	Cllr Tesler	Cllr Unluer
Cllr Vernon	Cllr Webb	Cllr Williams			



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LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (PROHIBITION OF STOPPING OUTSIDE SCHOOLS) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200*TRO 261 AND TRO 262

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to:-

(a) Formalise existing waiting restrictions operating "at any time" on certain sections of Clapton Common, Gore Road, Lauriston Road and Morpeth Road.

(b) Formalise existing "school keep clear" markings operating from 8am to 6pm Monday to Friday inclusive on a certain section of Clapton Common.

(c) Introduce new waiting restrictions operating "at any time" on certain sections of Amhurst Park, Collett Street, Cranwich Road, Ferron Street and Retreat Place.

3. Copies of the Orders, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Traffic and Transportation on 020 8356 8986.

4. Any objections or other representations about the either of proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Directorate of Environment at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

Date: 13.08.2007 Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

TEMPORARY NOTICE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF RIGHT AND LEFT TURNS CHERBURY STREET N1

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to ESSENTIAL WATER MAINS REPAIRS at the junction of New North Road and Cherbury Street N1, they intend to make an order the effect of which would be only at such times as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Prohibit the left turn along New North Road at its junction with Cherbury Street

Prohibit the right turn along New North Road at its junction with Cherbury Street

Prohibit the right turn along Cherbury Street at its junction with New North Road

2. The preferred diversion route will be Northbound via Mintern Street, Pitfield Street, Buckland Street and Cherbury Street. Similarly Southbound via Cherbury Street, New North Road, East Road, Bevenden Street, Pitfield Street and Mintern Street.

3. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

4. The restriction referred to in sub-paragraphs (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

5. The Order will come into operation on either 1st to 2nd September 2007 and 8th to 9th September and remain in operation for both periods between the hours of 0800 to 1700 or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the coordinator on 0208 356 8283

Date: 13.08.2007 Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

TEMPORARY NOTICE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION ON THROUGH TRAFFIC IN EARL STREET EC2

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to CRANE OPERATION WORKS at EARL STREET EC2 they have made an order the effect of which would be only at such times as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Close Earl Street at its junction with Wilson Street and Appold Street (Alternative route available via Wilson Street, Sun Street and Appold Street)

2. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

3. The restriction referred to in sub-paragraph (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

4. The Order will come into operation on 4 August 2007 for 2 days only. The order is expected to be in force from 08.00hrs until 16.00hrs

5. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the coordinator on 0208 356 8283

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

TEMPORARY NOTICE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 FELSTEAD STREET E9 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to SEWER CONNECTION WORKS within FELSTEAD STREET E9, they intend to make an order the effect of which would be only at such times as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Close Felstead Street from its junction with Felstead Street and a point approximately 20 metres in a general south westerly direction from its junction with Gainsborough Street.

2. The preferred diversion route via Chapman Road, Trowbridge Road and Felstead Road

3. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

4. The restriction referred to in sub-paragraphs (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of highway in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

5. The Order will come into operation on 13th August 2007 at 0700hrs and remain in operation until 17th August at 1900hrs or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner.

6. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the coordinator on 0208 356 8283

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

TEMPORARY NOTICE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 MEAD PLACE AND MILBORNE STREET E8 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to PLANNED BUILDING WORKS bounded by MEAD PLACE AND MILBORNE STREET E8, they intend to make an order the effect of which would be only at such times as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Close the south eastern footpath along Mead Place between a point approximately 33metres from its intersection with Elsdale Street in a general north easterly direction to the unnamed access road for Milborne House, a distance of approximately 16 metres

2. Close the north western footpath along Milborne Street between points approximately 34metres and 71metres in a general north easterly direction from its intersection with Elsdale Street a distance of approximately 37metres

3. The preferred diversion route will the footpaths located on the opposite of the affected street

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restriction referred to in sub-paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of footpath in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The Order will come into operation on 20th August 2007 at 0800hrs and remain in operation until 20th May 2008 at 1700hrs or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner.

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the coordinator on 0208 356 8283

Date: 13.08.2007 Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

TEMPORARY NOTICE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION ON THROUGH TRAFFIC IN NEW NORTH ROAD

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to CRANE OPERATION WORKS at New North Road they have made an order the effect of which would be only at such times as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Close New North Road from its junction with Bevenden Street and East Road (Alternative route available via Pitfield Street, Mintern Street and New North Road)

2. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

3. The restriction referred to in sub-paragraph (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

4. The Order will come into operation on any of the following dates 19 August 2007, 26 August 2007, 02 September 2007. The order is expected to be in force from 08.00hrs until 18.00hrs

5. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the coordinator on 0208 356 8283

Date: 13.08.2007 Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

TEMPORARY NOTICE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION ON THROUGH TRAFFIC IN VALETTE STREET E9

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to WATER MAINS REPLACEMENT at Valette Street E9 they intend to make an order the effect of which would be only at such times as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Close Valette Street between its junctions with Morning Lane and Valette Street (Alternative route available via Mare Street, Graham Road, Queensbridge Road and Richmond Road)

2. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

3. The restriction referred to in sub-paragraph (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

4. The Order will come into operation on 31st August 2007 at 2000hrs and remain in force until the work has been completed or until 3rd September 2007 at 0800.

5. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the coordinator on 0208 356 8283

Date: 13.08.2007 Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

TEMPORARY NOTICE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 CHAPMAN ROAD AND WALLIS ROAD E9 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to PLANNED BUILDING WORKS bounded by CHAPMAN ROAD AND WALLIS ROAD E9, they intend to make an order the effect of which would be only at such times as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Close the north eastern footpath along Chapman Road from a point in line with the north western kerbline of Wallis Road to a point approximately 75 metres north west of that intersection point.

2. Close the north western footpath along Wallis Road along its entire length between its junction with Chapman Road and its junction with Hepscott Road

3. The preferred diversion route will the footpaths located on the opposite of the affected street

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restriction referred to in sub-paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of footpath in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The Order will come into operation on 13th August 2007 at 0930 hrs and remain in operation until 05th February 2008 at 1730hrs or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner.

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the coordinator on 0208 356 8283

Date: 13.08.2007 Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

LICENSING ACT 2003 – NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE

We Mr **Taveepongs Moleehont** and Mr **Ilhami Ozkan** have applied to the London Borough of Hackney for a premises licence at the premises: **132 Curtain Road EC2A 3AR** in order that the following licensable activities can take place on or from the premises: Supply of alcohol for consumption on the above referenced premises

A register of licensing applications can be inspected at Licensing Service Dorothy Hodgkin House 12 Reading Lane London E8 1HJ where details of the applications may be inspected. The office hours are Mon – Friday 9am – 5pm.

Any representations against the application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address by no later than the 13 August 07.

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises or bodies representing such residents or businesses may make representations. The grounds on which the representations may be made are restricted to the licensing objectives of the prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, the prevention of public nuisance and the protection of children from harm.

Representations cannot be made after the provisional statement has been issued. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with an application.

Date: 13.08.2007

TEMPORARY NOTICE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 FELSTEAD STREET E9 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to SEWER CONNECTION WORKS within FELSTEAD STREET E9, they intend to make an order the effect of which would be only at such times as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Close Felstead Street at its junction with Chapman Road to a point approximately 20 metres in a general north easterly direction

2. The preferred diversion route via Chapman Road, Trowbridge Road and Felstead Road

3. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

4. The restriction referred to in sub-paragraphs (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of highway in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

5. The Order will come into operation on 20th August 2007 at 0700hrs and remain in operation until 27th August at 1900hrs or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner.

6. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the coordinator on 0208 356 8283

Date: 13.08.2007 Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

**TEMPORARY NOTICE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991
TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC IN WESTGATE STREET E8**

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to CRANE OPERATION WORKS at Westgate Street E8, they intend to make an order the effect of which would be only at such times as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Close Westgate Street from its junction with Mare Street to its junction with Sheep Lane.
2. Close Triangle Road at its junction with Westgate Street to through traffic but retain as access only.
3. The preferred diversion route will be via Mare Street, Bush Road and Sheep Lane
4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restriction referred to in sub-paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The Order will come into operation on either the 9th, 16th or 23rd September and remain in operation between the hours of 0700 to 1800 or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner.

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the coordinator on 0208 356 8283

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

TEMPORARY NOTICE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 GLYN ROAD E5TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to GAS MAINS REPLACEMENT within GLYN ROAD E5, they intend to make an order the effect of which would be only at such times as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Close Glyn Road from its junction with Rushmore Road to its junction with Blurton Road
2. The preferred diversion route via Rushmore Road, Overbury Street, Redwald Road and Glyn Road
3. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.
4. The restriction referred to in sub-paragraphs (1) above

will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of highway in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

5. The Order will come into operation on 24th August 2007 at 0800hrs and remain in operation until 29th August at 1700hrs or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner.

6. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the coordinator on 0208 356 8283

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 13) ORDER 2007 TRO 199

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 10th August 2007 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes made the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Order will be:-

(a) to introduce waiting restrictions operating at 08.00am to 6.30pm Monday to Friday and 08.00 am to 1.30pm on Saturdays in certain sections of the following roads: Craven Walk, Lingwood Road, Leadale Road and Ashtead Road.

3. Copies of the Order, which comes into force on 15th August 2007 and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks

from the date on which the Order was made, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Traffic and Transportation on 020 8356 8986.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order was made, apply for the purpose to the High Court

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (FREE PARKING PLACES) (DISABLED PERSONS)(AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 263 & TRO 264

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to convert part of an existing permit bay (Residents/Business permit holders only) outside No 25 Enfield Road, in zone H, into a disabled parking place.

3. Copies of the Orders, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides

not to make the Orders, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Parking on 020 8356 8463.

4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Directorate of Public Realm at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 PUBLIC INQUIRY

Appeal against the London Borough of Hackney has been made by Mr. Terence Claxton for the Enforcement Notice served at 40 Shacklewell Lane, London, E8 2EZ for the change of use of the basement and ground floor of the building on the land (the “Premises”) from use as a shop (Use Class A1) to use as a single dwelling house without planning permission.

The inquiry will be held at Ocean 1, 270 Mare Street, London E8, on Wednesday 29th August, 2007 at 10am.

Members of the public may attend the inquiry and, at the Inspector’s discretion express their views. If you or anyone you know has a disability and is concerned about facilities at the Inquiry venue, you should contact the council to confirm that suitable provisions are in place.

Susan Foster, Assistant Director, Planning

Date: 13.08.2007

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LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (FREE PARKING PLACES) (DISABLED PERSONS)(AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 252 & TRO 253

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to convert part of an existing shared use operation (permit holders and pay and display) parking place outside of Londesborough House in Londesborough Road, in zone M, into a disabled parking place.

3. Copies of the Orders, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks

from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Parking on 020 8356 8463.

4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Directorate of Public Realm at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (FREE PARKING PLACES) (DOCTORS) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200*THE HACKNEY (LOADING BAYS) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 258, TRO 259 & TRO 260

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to:

(a) (a) replace a 5 metre section of an existing permit parking place located outside of No. 10 Englefield Road with a doctors parking place operating “at any time” with a loss of 1 permit holder space;

(b) replace an existing doctors parking place and a total of 4.5 metres of waiting restrictions operating “at any time” outside of No. 4 Englefield Road with a loading bay operating “at any time”

3. Copies of the Orders, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected

during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Parking on 020 8356 8463.

4. Any objections or other representations about any of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Directorate of Public Realm at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (FREE PARKING PLACES) (DOCTORS) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 256 & TRO 257

1 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to convert an existing shared use operation (permit holders and pay and display) parking place opposite Nos. 414 - 416 Kingsland Road, in zone J into a doctors parking place.

3. Copies of the Orders, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides

not to make the Orders, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Parking on 020 8356 8463.

4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Directorate of Public Realm at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 254 & TRO 255

1 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2 The general effect of the Orders would be convert an existing section of waiting restrictions operating “at any time” into a business permit holders only parking place outside of Nos. 64/76 Goldsmith’s Row.

3. Copies of the Orders, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the

Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Parking on 020 8356 8463.

4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Directorate of Public Realm at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 235

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Order would be amend the operational hours of certain parking places in Albion Road, in zone M to Monday to Friday 8.30am to 5.30pm and Saturday 8.30am to 1.30pm.

3. Copies of the Order, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the

Council decides not to make the Order, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Parking on 020 8356 8463.

4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Directorate of Public Realm at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

MATCH DAY PARKING SCHEME CONSULTATION REMINDER

We are currently conducting a public consultation about the Match Day Parking Scheme to ensure that the scheme we introduce meets your needs. If live or operate a business within Controlled Parking Zones G, G1 and G2 and Zone M (roads west of Milton Grove) you should have received a consultation pack. If not, please call 0208 356 8877 to be sent a copy.

Please remember to return your questionnaire by Monday 3 September 2007 to make your views heard.

For further information please refer to our website: www.hackney.gov.uk/parking

Phone: 0208 356 8877

Email: consultparking@hackney.gov.uk

NOTICE UNDER THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACTS AND RELATED ORDERS

EC2A

40 Clifton Street and 56 - 58 Worship Street London EC2A 2DJ Refurbishment of the building including new exterior cladding, windows, new roof and rear extension to the existing building and change of use of the premises to A1, A2, A3, A4 and A5 at ground floor and basement level with a new pedestrian entrance onto Finsbury Market. 2007/1775 Major Development

2 Luke Street London EC2A 4NT Alterations including new windows and door to the front at ground floor level and reinstatement of window to original designs. 2007/1858 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

E2

35 - 41 Lea Bridge Road London E5 9QB Demolition of existing building and redevelopment of site with it 1 x four storey, 1 x three storey and 1 x two storey building to comprise of B1 units (520 Sq meters) and 23 residential dwellings in the form of 2 x four bed and 2 x two bed houses and 8 x one, 5 x two and 6 x three bed flats with associated landscaping, car and cycle parking and children's play area. 2007/0825 Major Development

126-128 Lower Clapton Road Hackney London E5 0QR Removal of Condition 3 (personal permission) of planning permission ref:TP/97375/C/KK dated 21 January 1987. 2007/1717 Affects setting of a Listed Building

E8

6 Albion Square, Hackney, London, E8 4ES Listed Building Consent for internal works to restore property into a single

- dwelling House. 2007/1870 Conservation Area Consent

Baxters Court, 282-284 Mare Street, Hackney London E8 1HE Variation of condition No.3 attached to planning permission 2006/2232 to allow open-air terrace to be used between 10:00 hours and 01:00 hours Sunday to Thursday and 10:00 Hours to 01:30 Hours Friday and Saturday. 2007/1818 Major Development

Colvestone Junior School Colvestone Crescent London E8 2LG Renewal of materials on existing pitched and flat roofs with clay tiles, new asphalt, renewal of glazed pitch and felt flat roof coverings, renewal of zinc and Lenten light and associated minor works. 2007/1831 Listed Building Consent

72A Forest Road, London, E8 3BL Demolition of existing building and erection of a three-storey single-dwelling house (with terrace at front at first floor level) and Juliette balconies to rear at first and second floor level. 2007/1786 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

72A Forest Road, London, E8 3BL Demolition of single-storey workshop and erect a three storey single- dwelling house. 2007/1791 Conservation Area Consent

Unit 12 Broadway Market Mews London E8 Amendment to planning permission ref: 2004/0246 dated 11/03/2004 for the erection of a roof extension to facilitate change of use to live/work. Changes to include internal reconfiguration of floorspace and external alterations to roof addition including front and rear extensions to replace terrace areas. 2007/1565 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

122-142 Mare Street London E8 3SG Erection of a single-

storey side extension to a shop within a petrol- filling station. 2007/1615 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

115 Middleton Road London E8 4LN Erection of a single-storey conservatory at rear lower ground level and erection of two outbuildings in the rear garden. 2007/1672 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

E9

Land between Eastway and East Cross Route adjacent to Hackney Marsh South and Eastway Commercial Centre London E9 5JB Prior Approval for the erection of a 14.7m telecommunication mast, 3 x equipment cabinets and 1 x services cabinet. 2007/1737 Major Development

N1

The Macbeth, 70 Hoxton Street, London, N1 6LP Erection of a ground floor rear extension (in fill), a first floor rear extension; erection of a rear extension. 2007/1587 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

N16

15 Summerhouse Road London N16 0NA Erection of two dormer windows to the rear roof slope. 2007/1605 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

133-135 Stoke Newington Road, London N16 8BP Variation of conditions 1 and 2 of planning permission North/29/96/FP to extend the opening hours of basement private members club as follows: 12 pm to 4 am (the

following day) Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and 12 pm to 12.30 am Sundays; and allow live or amplified music to be played on the premises. 2007/1682 Major Development

167 Stoke Newington Church Street, London N16 Change of use of the property from B1 (office) and conversion to provide a retail shop (class A1) on the ground floor and two, one bedroom flats on the upper floors, together with alterations to shop front and raising of the existing two storey rear extension to a flat roof. 2007/1718 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

The Applications can be inspected between 8am and 6pm at Planning and Regeneration Reception, 263 Mare Street, London E8 3HT.

They can also be viewed on the following website:

www.hackney.gov.uk/planning Representations

should be made in writing within 21 days to the

Development Control Manager, Planning and

Regeneration, Hackney Council, 263 Mare Street,

London E8 3HT. All representations will be

acknowledged in writing.

DATE: 13 Aug 2007

Sue Foster, Head of Planning

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 251

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Order would be to convert an existing pay and display parking place in a certain section of Malvern Road in Zone J to shared use operation (permit holders and pay and display).

3. Copies of the Order, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to

make the Order, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Parking on 020 8356 8463.

4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Directorate of Public Realm at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 250

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Order would be to convert an existing pay and display parking place in a certain section of Richmond Road in Zone D to shared use operation (permit holders and pay and display).

3. Copies of the Order, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to

make the Order, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Parking on 020 8356 8463.

4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Directorate of Public Realm at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. 19) ORDER 2007 TRO 229

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 10th August 2007 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 45 46 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Order will be introduce pay and display bays into certain sections of Chart Street.

3. Copies of the Order, which comes into force on 15th August 2007 and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders were made, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of

Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Parking on 020 8356 8463.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders were made, apply for the purpose to the High Court

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

Statutory and Public Notices

Hackney Today will not be published on 27 August 2007. The next available edition will be 10 Sept 2007. Any statutory notices which the Council needs to advertise between those two dates, will appear in the Hackney Gazette.

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. 20) ORDER 2007 TRO 227

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 10th August 2007 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Order under sections 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985.

2. The general effect of the Order will be to convert four existing pay and display parking bays opposite Nos. 60 and 62 Downham Road, into shared use: permit holders and pay and display operation.

3. Copies of the Order, which comes into force on 15th August 2007 and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks

from the date on which the Order was made, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Parking on 020 8356 8463.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order was made, apply for the purpose to the High Court

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEYHIGHWAYS ACT 1980 - SECTION 90C DE BEAUVOIR AREA: SPEED CUSHIONS AND SPEED HUMPS TRO 202

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the London Borough of Hackney, in accordance with the Section 90C of the Highway Act 1980 and the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1996, proposes the provision of speed cushions and speed humps into various roads as detailed in the attached schedule to this notice.

Plans of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until 3rd September 2007, in the reception area, 263 Mare Street, Directorate of Public Realm, London Borough of Hackney, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Traffic and Transportation on 020 8356 8283. Any objections to the above proposals should be sent by 3rd September 2007 to this address.

Date: 13.08.2007

Tom McCourt Assistant Director (Public Realm) (The officer appointed for this purpose)

SCHEDULE

Speed cushions - The speed cushions will be constructed and maintained to a maximum height of 90 millimetres and will be 3 metres in length. Cushions will be laid in sets of 1, 2, 3 or 4 of varying width as set out in the schedule below. On/Off ramps will be constructed at a gradient of 1:8

Road	Description
De Beauvoir Crescent	118m eastwards from the junction of Hertford Rd with De Beauvoir Crescent west side
De Beauvoir Crescent	65m westwards from the junction of Hertford Rd with De Beauvoir Crescent west side
De Beauvoir Crescent	23m westwards from the junction of Hertford Rd with De Beauvoir Crescent west side
De Beauvoir Road	17m northwards from the junction of De Beauvoir Crescent with De Beauvoir Road north side
De Beauvoir Road	73m northwards from the junction of De Beauvoir Crescent with De Beauvoir Road north side

De Beauvoir Road	133m northwards from the junction of De Beauvoir Crescent with De Beauvoir Road north side
De Beauvoir Road	30m southwards from the junction of De Beauvoir Road with Tottenham Road south side
Downham Road	12m westwards from the junction of Downham Road with Mortimer Road west side
Downham Road	55m eastwards from the junction of Downham Road with Stamford Road east side
Enfield Rd	30m southeastwards from the junction of Hertford Road with Enfield Road southeast side
Enfield Rd	100m southeastwards from the junction of Hertford Road with Enfield Road southeast side
Hertford Rd	23m southwards from the junction of Hertford Rd with Downham Rd south side
Hertford Rd	60m southwards from the junction of Hertford Rd with Downham Rd south side
Hertford Rd	110m southwards from the junction of Hertford Rd with Downham Rd south side
Hertford Rd	154m southwards from the junction of Hertford Rd with Downham Rd south side
Hertford Rd	44m northwards from the junction of Hertford Rd with Downham Rd north side
Hertford Rd	86m northwards from the junction of Hertford Rd with Downham Rd north side
Hertford Rd	141m northwards from the junction of Hertford Rd with Downham Rd north side

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

CURFEW: A REGGAE MUSICAL

16 Aug-8 Sep. The Ashe Music Theatre Ensemble return with this uplifting, hilarious, love story set on the mean streets of down-town Jamaica. Hackney Empire, 291 Mare St E8. Thurs-Sun 7.30pm, Sat & Sun matinee 2.30pm. £16.50, £14.50 under 16s £10 + concs. Box Office: 020 8985 2424 or: www.hackneyempire.co.uk

MURALS IN ST. MICHAEL'S

18 Aug, 10am-4pm. Open day - view striking murals and stained glass by John Hayward. St. Michael & All Angels, London Fields, E8. Free. Info: 07949 529795.

PROMS IN HAGGERSTON PARK

18 Aug. The Royal Philharmonic Orchestra in a Tchaikovsky spectacular - a special treat to close this year's Shoreditch Festival. Haggerston Park, Queensbridge Rd, E2. Free. Open 6pm, concert 7pm.

ST AUGUSTINE'S TOWER

26 Aug, 2-4.30pm. Visit Hackney's oldest, Grade I listed building and find out about the history of the building and climb the 135 stairs for the best view of Hackney. Narroway, Mare St, E8. Disabled access to ground floor includes a poster history and Virtual Reality Exhibition. Info: 020 8986 0029 or www.hhbt.org.uk

I MISS COMMUNISM

29 Aug - 23 Sep. Solo show written and developed by actress and writer Ines Wurth with writing partner Mark Soper. A poignant account of life growing up in Croatia. Hackney Empire Studio, 291 Mare St, E8. Tue-Sat 8pm, Sat matinee 2.30pm. £12 (£9 concs), Box Office: 020 8985 2424 or: www.hackneyempire.co.uk



GALLERYJAZZ @ SATCHMOS

30 Aug, 7pm-Midnight. Final day of a month-long exhibition of jazz photography, illustrations and 3D art, with live music, video & visuals and CD selections from current UK Jazz artists. Satchmo's Bar, 97 Stoke Newington Rd, N16. Free. Info: 020 7254 4748.

EAST END GAMES

Until 28 Aug. An exhibition of the work of seven local artists, made in response to the wave of changes brought about by the forthcoming Olympic Games. Bromley by Bow Centre, St Leonard's St, E3. Info: 020 8709 9849 or 07963 916543 or www.bbbc.org.uk

BOPP @ ST. BARNABAS

COMMUNITY FETE 1 Sep, 12noon-7pm. SPACE will showcase three projects by the Bow Older People's Project. Wennington Green, corner of Grove Rd & Roman Rd, E3. Info: www.bowstock.org or email: info@stbarnabascommunityfete.org For info about SPACE: 020 8525 4330 or www.spacestudios.org.uk

PRIVATE PROP Until 2 Sep. The Residence Gallery re-launch. Curated art project by Ingrid Z featuring 25 international artists. The Verger's Cottage, St Mary of Eton Church, Eastway, E9. Thurs-Fri by appointment only, Sat 1-5pm. Info: 020 8986 2324 or www.residence-gallery.com

ESTATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

To check times and venues call the Tenant Participation Team on: 020 8356 7845

03 Sep - Blackstone, 7pm	11 Sep - Fawcett, 7pm
03 Sep - Fellows Crt, 7pm	11 Sep - Geffrye & Harman, 7pm
03 Sep - Rhodes, 7pm	11 Sep - Morland & Blanchard, 7pm
03 Sep - Rowley Gdns, 7pm	11 Sep - Smalley Rd, 7pm
03 Sep - Whiston & Goldsmith, 7pm	12 Sep - Boscobel, 7pm
03 Sep - Wilton, 7pm	12 Sep - Charles Sq & Pitfield, 7pm
04 Sep - Lordship Nth, 7pm	12 Sep - Welshpool, 7pm
05 Sep - Holmleigh Rd & Sandford, 7pm	13 Sep - Follingham, 7pm
05 Sep - Lincoln Crt, 7pm	13 Sep - Herbert Butler, 7pm
05 Sep - St John, 7pm	13 Sep - Provost, 8pm
11 Sep - Aspland & Marcon, 7pm	13 Sep - Southwold, 7pm

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CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

SUMMERTIME STORY SPACES

Every Wed, until 22 Aug, 10am-12.30pm. Have fun at a new series of artist-led workshops based on traditional stories from around the world. The Building Exploratory, The Professional Development Centre, Albion Drive, E8. Free. Children under 14 must be accompanied by an adult. Booking advisable. Info: 020 7275 8555 or: www.buildingexploratory.org.uk



SUMMER PLAY IN PARKS

Mon-Fri, until 24 Aug, 11am-3pm. Free play activities including face painting, sports activities and more. Hackney Downs (Bowling Green), E5 & Springfield Park (café), N16. Info: Hackney Play Association 020 7254 9944 or e-mail: mike.rowe@hackneyplay.org

FUN FITNESS AND SPEED

Wed or Fri 6pm. Clissold Swimming Club is offering free training sessions during Sep to children and young people aged six-18. Kings Hall Leisure Centre, Lower Clapton Rd, E8. If you

can swim two lengths of the pool and you want to improve your swimming come along to a try-out session. Info: www.clissoldswimming.org.uk

THE TWITS IN SHOREDITCH

10-18 Aug. A collaborative art installation and free open access workshops for young people aged six-16. Standpoint Gallery, 45 Coronet St, N1. Workshops 2-5pm (except Sun). Parents welcome. Info/bookings: Mia Taylor on 020 7729 4921 or e-mail standpointeducation@btconnect.com

RIO SATURDAY MORNING

PICTURE CLUB Doors open 10.30am, film starts 11am. Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High St, E8. Membership free. Children under age of 5yrs must be accompanied by an adult. Tickets £1 child, £2 accompanying adults. Free admittance after every 10 visits. Info: 020 7421 9410 or: www.riocinema.org.uk

TRADITIONAL CARIBBEAN

CARNIVAL CRAFTS Every Wed, 5.30-7pm. Workshops in Socasalsa Calypso Showkase for children aged five-11. Sweet Combination, 6-8 Palatine Rd, N16. Participate in the Hackney Mare de Gras, Notting Hill Children's Day Carnival and much more. Info: 020 7275 9084 or 020 8809 4325.

COURSES AND WORKSHOPS

HACKNEY U3A OPEN DAY

21 Aug, 10am-4.30pm. For Hackney seniors. African and Cuban drumming, singing and dancing classes with local professionals Zam Zam. The Sharp End (Dalston Methodist Church), 11 Richmond Rd, E8. Free. Lunch also available. Info/bookings: 07943 213761 or email: HackneyU3A@googlemail.com

STONE CARVING CLASSES

Every Tue, from 28 Aug, 10am-12noon. For adults. Abney Park Trust, Stoke Newington High St, N16. £10 (£8 concs) to cover materials. Info: 020 7275 7557.

PIANO LESSONS

Starts Aug. Private tuition and group classes available to residents in Hackney and Tower Hamlets. All ages welcome. Affordable rates. Bookings/info: Mr Wilson 07900 858194 or email: foxmusicsschool@yahoo.co.uk

GERMAN TUITION

Conversation classes with native German speaker. Near

Hackney Downs. £20 per hour. Info: 07719 817713 or e-mail: gmurdtter@yahoo.co.uk

MAKE IT IN CLAY 2

Tue evenings, two-part, 10-week workshop in ceramics, introducing skills in mould-making, pressing and slip-casting. 11 Sep and 23 Oct, all levels welcome. Info: Fleur 07779 668280 or e-mail: info@fleurwinter.com

MUSIC TUITION

Learn to play instruments, especially guitar and piano, and the songs you love in the comfort of your home. Experienced tutors with references. All ages welcome. Info: 07877 123 370 or: www.musicstutors4you.com



COUNCIL MEETINGS

03 Sep - Children & Young People Scrutiny Commission, 7pm
05 Sep - Governance & Resources Scrutiny Committee, 7pm
05 Sep - Health in Hackney Scrutiny Commission, 7pm
10 Sep - Cabinet, 6pm
11 Sep - Living in Hackney Scrutiny Commission, 7pm
11 Sep - Regeneration & Social Inclusion Commission, 7pm
11 Sep - Regulatory Committee, 7pm
All meetings at Hackney Town Hall, Mare Street, E8.
Info: 020 8356 3316/3302/3584 or: www.hackney.gov.uk

HEALTH, SPORT AND FITNESS



SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING

29 & 31 Aug. Two taster sessions take place in deep water. Must be able to swim at least four lengths. Kings Hall Leisure Centre, 39 Lower Clapton Rd, E5. 9.30-10.15am age 12+. 10.15-11am children under 12. Advance booking required, call: 07891 880781 or e-mail: chair@clissoldswimmingclub.org.uk Info: www.clissoldswimmingclub.org.uk

JEET KUNE DO

Tue & Thurs 7.30pm, from 4 Sep. Six-week beginners course in Bruce Lee's Jeet Kune Do. Bob Breen Academy, 16 Hoxton Sq, N1. £160 - incl. bag, gloves, hand wraps and club t-shirt. Info: 020 7729 5789 or: www.bobbreen.co.uk
WILDLIFE WALK 9 Sep 11am. Abney Park Trust, Stoke Newington High St, N16. Info: 020 7275 7557.

TAI CHI Tue 7.30pm, Defoe Rd, N16 & Wed 8pm, Upper St, N1. Modern Yang style tai chi & qi gong. New students welcome first week of each month. £30/month - first class free. Info: Jazmin 0845 838 1424, e-mail: sntaichi@mroe.co.uk or visit: www.sntaichi.co.uk

LARK IN THE PARK Sun 9.30-10.30am. Yoga in Victoria Park, E9. Release tension, get fit, working on mind body and soul. £7/£5, mats provided. Info: Sat Kartar Kaur: 07890 909928.



YOGA OPEN CLASS

Mon 6.45-8pm. Lyengar-based, all levels. The Round Chapel, Powerscroft Road, E5. £6 a session. Tue 10-11.30am & 11.30am-12.30pm. Ante and Post Natal Yoga. Kings Hall Leisure Centre, 39 Lower Clapton Rd, E5. £5 a session.

NOTICEBOARD

HACKNEY WICK ELDERS

ADVICE 14 Aug, 11am-1pm. Young at Heart launch coffee morning. Pick up professional information advice about benefits and pensions, in confidence. Meet others. Hackney Wick Community Centre, The Old Baths, 80 Eastway, E9. Info: Terry 020 8986 1999 or 07812 014 550.

REVENUES & BENEFITS

FAMILY FUN DAY 17 Aug, 12noon-6pm. Now in its third year, there's something for everyone. Free. London Fields Park, E8. Info: Joanne Deane 020 8356 3254 or joanne.deane@hackney.gov.uk

ANNUAL FUNDRAISING BBQ

1 Sep, 3-10pm. Hosted by the Friends of Grenada Hospitals Assoc. Carriacou and Petit Martinique (UK). Music by DJ Prince Alvin. 62 Beechwood Rd, E8. £10 adult, £3 child. Info: Eric Cato 07958 374254.

DE BEAUVOIR GARDENERS

9 Sep 2-5pm. Annual Flower and Produce Show with raffle, children's activities, teas & cakes, plant & book stalls, dog show and more. Northchurch Terrace (outside St. Peter's Church), De Beauvoir Rd, N1. Admission free. Info: e-mail dbg@debeauvoirdgardeners.org.uk

VISIT THE OLYMPIC PARK

15 Sep from 1pm. 16 Sep all day. Tour the London 2012 Olympic Park as part of the London Open House

architecture festival. Guided bus tours from SCORE Complex, Oliver Rd, E10. Also exhibition, sport & health activities, design of the Olympic Park and info. Spaces limited, book in advance. Children under 12yrs are not permitted for safety reasons. Info/bookings: 020 3023 6056

BUSINESS SUCCESS

SEMINARS Free training for Hackney businesses that are already trading. Subjects include more profit, marketing, selling and raising finance. Dates and info: HBV Enterprise Centre, 34-38 Dalston Lane, E8 3AZ. Call: 020 7254 9595 or visit: www.hbv.org.uk

50S CLUB

Wed, 11am-1pm. For people over 50 years who want to learn something new, share new ideas or maybe expand their horizons. Saint Michael & All Angels, Church Hall, London Fields E8. Info: 07864 703153.

DALSTON YOUTH PROJECT

Recruiting local volunteers for new 14-16s Mentoring Programme. Involves a year's commitment of weekly 1:1 mentoring sessions, following completion of 5-day training course in October. Info/application pack: Jo or Hannah 020 8985 8442 or email dypmentoring@hotmail.co.uk